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For: MEASURING UNIT, PARTITION MEMBER, MOLD FOR MOLDING THE PARTITION MEMBER, AND PRODUCTION METHOD FOR THE PARTITION MEMBER

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.